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SUBJ: UNFICYP EXTENSION: GREEK AMBASSADOR ASKS US
SUPPORT FOR DRAFT RESOLUTION

REF: USUN 5875

1. IN DECEMBER 11 CALL ON AMB. SCALI, GREEK PERM REP
CARAYANNIS REQUESTED US SUPPORT FOR DRAFT RESOLUTION DESCRIBED
REFTEL. HE LEFT COPY WITH SCALI (SEE FINAL PARA), NOTING US
WAS FIRST OF CONCERNED GOVERNMENTS TO HAVE BEEN GIVEN TEXT --
AS DISTINCT FROM BEING SHOWN IT.

2. BEFORE MEETING, WE ASKED TURKISH PREM REP OLCAY HIS
REACTION. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN SHOWN DRAFT, AND WHILE
HE DID NOT SEE WHAT PURPOSE IT SERVED, IT SEEMED HARMLESS
ENOUGH.

3. CARAYANNIS BEGAN BY TELLING SCALI RESOLUTION WAS HIS
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IDEA, ITS PURPOSE BEING TO CAPITALIZE ON PARTIES' AGREE-

MENT TO GA RES ON CYPRUS AND TO GIVE BOTH TURKS AND MAKARIOS
"A LITTLE PUSH" TOWARD NEGOTIATIONS. HE SAID ACTUAL
TEXT HAD BEEN WORKED OUT WITH YUGOSLAV AND INDIAN DELS;
THIS AFTERNOON DRAFT WOULD BE PUT BEFORE FULL NON-ALIGNED
CYPRUS WORKING GROUP (INDIA, YUGOSLAVIA, ALGERIA, MALI
AND GUYANA).

4. SCALI SAID THAT AT FIRST GLANCE DRAFT LOOKED
ACCEPTABLE, THOUGH HE WOULD HAVE TO CHECK WITH DEPARTMENT.
HE WENT ON TO URGE CARAYANNIS TO HELP PREVENT UNFICYP DEBATE
FROM TURNING INTO EXCHANGE OF RECRIMINATIONS. SCALI SAID HE
PARTICULARLY HOPED THAT CYPRUS AMB. ROSSIDES COULD BE
KEPT IN CHECK, AND PROMISED TO URGE MODERATION ON
OLCAY AND, THROUGH HIM, ON TURK CYPRIOT REPRESENTATIVE CHELIK.
CARAYANNIS REPLIED THAT HE WOULD DO HIS BEST, THOUGH
ROSSIDES WAS SO MERCURIAL THAT IT WAS HARD TO RESTRAIN HIM.

5. AS CARAYANNIS WAS LEAVING, WE ASKED IF HE HAD GIVEN HIS
DRAFT TO ROSSIDES, CARAYANNIS REPLIED: "TO TELL YOU
THE HONEST TRUTH, I HAVE NOT GIVEN IT TO HIM. HE IS UPSET,
BUT SEEMS TO HAVE OBTAINED A COPY FROM THE NON-ALIGNED."
WE STRESSED TO CARAYANNIS THE IMPORTANCE OF NOT PERMITTING
ANY CHANGES TO BE MADE TO THE PRESENT DRAFT IF HE WISHED US
CONCURRENCE. HE PROMISED TO EMPHASIZE THIS TO NON-ALIGNED,
REMARKING THAT "MY INFLUENCE WITH THEM IS MUCH GREATER THAN
ROSSIDES."

6. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF GREEK DRAFT RESOLUTION:

"THE SECURITY COUNCIL,

"HAVING RECEIVED THE RESOLUTION 3212 (XXIX) OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON THE "QUESTION OF CYPRUS",

"NOTING WITH SATISFACTION THAT THIS RESOLUTION WAS
ADOPTED BY UNANIMITY,

"NOTING ALSO THAT ALL THE INTERESTED PARTIES HAVE,
BY THEIR AFFIRMATIVE VOTE, ASCERTAINED (SIC) THEIR WILL TO FIND
WITHOUT DELAY A SOLUTION TO THIS PROBLEM ON THE BASIS OF THE
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SAID RESOLUTION,

"CALLS THE PARTIES CONCERNED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE
FAVORABLE CLIMATE CREATED BY THIS RESOLUTION AND DEVELOP
FURTHER THEIR NEGOTIATING EFFORT TOWARDS A SOLUTION OF THE
PROBLEM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ABOVE RESOLUTION OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY."

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